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VIA ECF FILING

The Honorable Ronnie Abrams, U.S.D.J.
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
40 Foley Square, Room 2203
New York, NY 10007

**Re: Slade v. Johnson & Johnson Consumer Inc.
Civil Action No. 1:19-cv-07507-RA**

Dear Judge Abrams:

This firm represents Defendant Johnson & Johnson Consumer Inc. (“Defendant”) in the above-referenced case. We write to respectfully request an extension of time up to and including November 15, 2019, for Defendant to respond to the Complaint. Plaintiff’s counsel consents to this request.

Plaintiff filed this action on August 12, 2019 (Dkt. 1). Plaintiff served Defendant on August 26, 2019. This Court granted Defendant’s first request for an extension of time to respond to the Complaint on September 12, 2019 (Dkt. 8). Accordingly, Defendant’s response is currently due October 16, 2019. This is the second request for an extension of this deadline, which, if granted, will not affect any other scheduled dates, including the Initial Conference currently scheduled for December 13, 2019 (Dkt 5). Defendant makes this request because the parties hope to reach a resolution in the coming weeks. We have communicated with counsel for Plaintiff, who consents to this request.

Thank you for Your Honor’s attention to this matter. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

s/ Thomas J. Barton

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cc: Counsel of Record (via ECF)

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